

City of Junction City Public Works

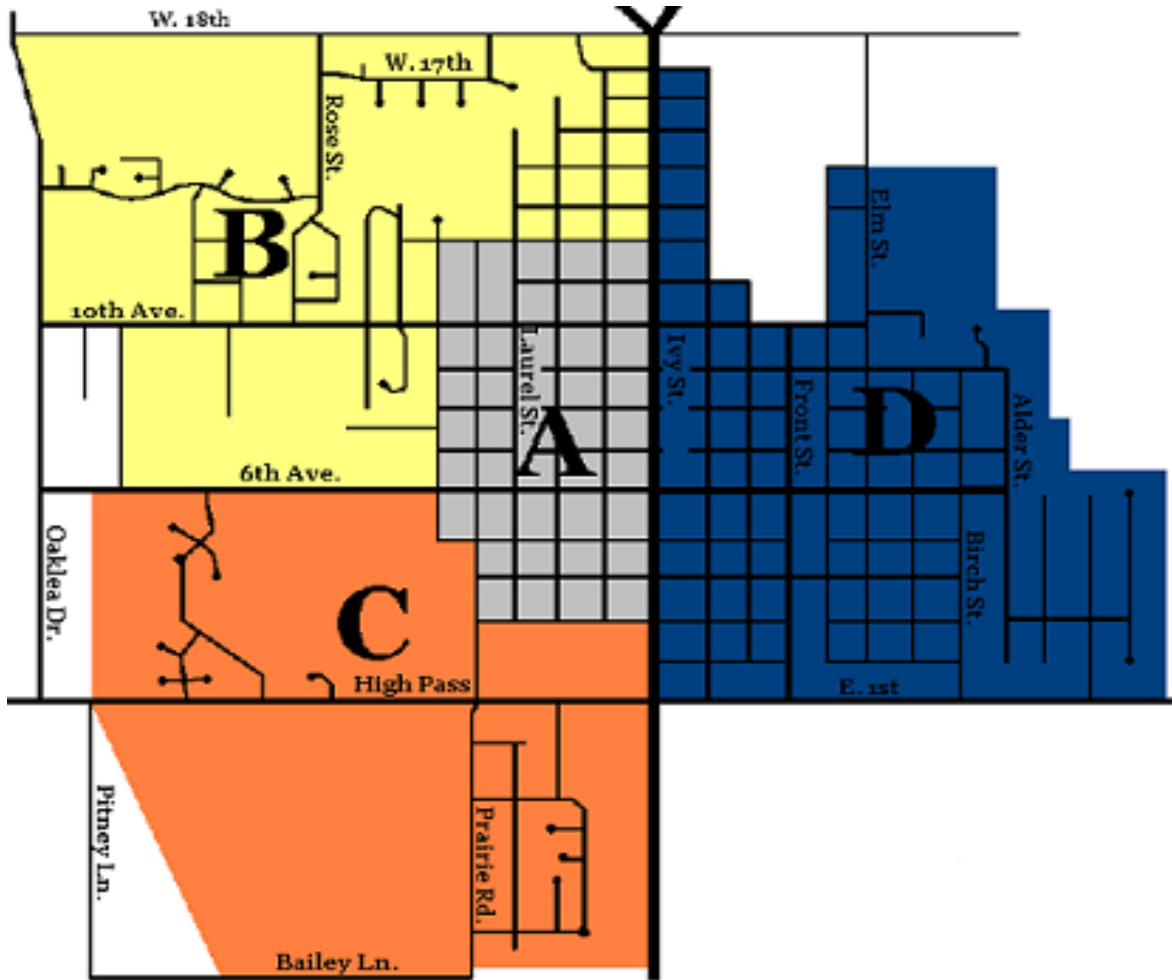
1171 Elm Street

541-998-3125

September 2014



Leaf Collection Schedule



2014 Collection Schedule:

- A:** (3rd - 12th, Ivy - Nyssa)
Oct. 27th – Oct. 31st
- B:** (Oaklea Middle School Area)
Nov. 3rd – 7th
- C:** (Bailey Pk, SW Laurel Area)
Nov. 17th – 21st
- D:** (East of Ivy Street)
Dec. 1st – 5th

Leaf Collection 2014

- ◆ Consider using leaves as mulch for gardens and flower beds
- ◆ Place leftover leaves in the street for the City to collect. Be sure leaves don't clog storm drains or gutters. Place leaves ONE FOOT away from the curb.
- ◆ If you see crews working in your neighborhood early, don't worry! They will return during your scheduled week.
- ◆ Please **DO NOT** bag leaves.

Leaf pickup in November is the **ONLY** time that any material or item may be placed in any right-of-way. Leaves are the only items that will be picked up during that time if placed 12-inches from the curb.

Please contact Public Works (541-998-3125) if you have a special request for your pickup.

RATE PAYER ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

The City of Junction City is now accepting applications for the Rate Payer Assistance Program for the 2014 – 2015 winter season. The program was developed to offer financial assistance to low or fixed income households.

The program is available to any household within the city limits of Junction City meeting the income requirements and other eligibility criteria. For an application or more information contact Public Works at 541-998-3125.

Upcoming Event

Clean Sweep is scheduled for November 15, 2014, from 9am to 12pm. More information will be included in next month's newsletter.

Detailed information is also available online at:

www.junctioncityoregon.org

If you have a business or commercial property in Junction City, and you are interested in recycling, please contact Public Works at 541-998-3125.

WASTE PREVENTION TIPS

1. Use rechargeable batteries.
2. Use refillable pens, water bottles, lighters, and razors, not disposables.
3. Purchase products with post-consumer recycled content.
4. Buy in bulk whenever possible.
5. Bring your own reusable bag to the store.
6. Request "no bag please," if buying only a few items.

Why Recycle?

Recycling conserves natural resources and saves energy! Every ton of recycled paper, cans or plastic saves trees, habitat, electricity and water resulting in less air and water pollution than manufacturing from natural resources.

Recyclables are sorted, baled and sent to recycling mills, where they are made into new products:

- ◆ Plastic bottles become new fleece clothing and carpeting among other things
- ◆ Cardboard becomes new cardboard
- ◆ Tin cans become new rebar for construction projects
- ◆ Newspaper becomes fruit packaging trays and new paper
- ◆ Glass becomes new glass bottles and jars
- ◆ Aluminum cans become new aluminum cans